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**Re: U.S. Patent Application No: 10/675,645 entitled MEDIA PROXY HAVING  
INTERFACE TO MULTIPLE VIRTUAL PRIVATE NETWORKS  
Applicant: MITCHELL, Julian  
Attorney Docket No.: 16077IDUS01U**

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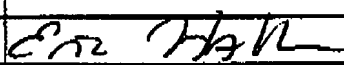
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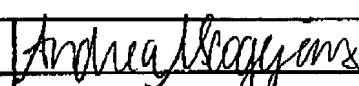
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